

LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Conservation Auditorium, 1st Floor, State Land & Natural Resources Building, 625 North 4th Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m., on **TUESDAY, JULY 18, 2000**, upon the application of **NEWFIELD EXPLORATION COMPANY**.

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of an Order pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Klumpp A Sand, Reservoir E**, in the Rayne Field, Acadia Parish, Louisiana.

1. To permit the applicant to drill, designate and utilize the Newfield Exploration Company - Mouton No. 5 Well as substitute unit well for the **KLUMPP A RE SUA**, said well located as shown in the application in exception to the spacing provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 307-F-6 and Statewide Order No. 29-E.
2. To find that the proposed substitute unit well at an exceptional location is necessary to efficiently and economically drain a portion of the reservoir covered by the unit in which it is situated which cannot be so drained by any existing well within such unit.
3. Except to the extent contrary herewith, to continue in full force and effect the provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 307-F-6, the unit created thereby, and applicable Statewide Orders.
4. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The **Klumpp A Sand, Reservoir E**, in the Rayne Field, Acadia Parish, Louisiana, was previously defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 307-F-6, effective April 21, 1992.

A plat is available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge** and **Lafayette**, Louisiana.

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

PHILIP N. ASPRODITES
COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION

Baton Rouge, La

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